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AMERICAN FEDERATION OF LABOR

Now in Convention at Minneapolis, Considers the Political Situation.

DECLARES ITS POSITION AS TO POLITICAL PARTIES

Railroad Magnets and Representatives of Railway Firemen Meet in Deliberate Conference.

Minneapolis, Nov. 12.—The recent political activity of the American Federation of Labor occupied a prominent place in the report of the executive council, which was read today at the convention of the federation. The report defines the attitude of organized labor towards politics. The American Federation, the report says, does not contemplate the formation of a distinct political party. It does not intend to dictate the party membership of any state or territory, but it does propose to suggest legislative measures of advantage to labor and to secure the nomination and election of representatives favorable to such enactment.

Independent Voting Proposed.
"We have never opposed politics in our organization," says the report, "although we have always opposed partisan politics. Independent voting with an eye single to the interests of labor is urged upon all members of affiliated unions."

TWO BIG RAILWAYS HEAR FIREMEN'S COMMITTEES
New York, Nov. 13.—Committees representing the firemen of the New York Central and the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad went into conference with the officials of the two roads at the Grand Central depot today. The committees were headed by Grand Master Hannahan of the firemen's organization.

WILL SUE RAILROADS
Chicago, Ill., Nov. 13.—The Illinois Audit company organized by the shippers of this state have today commenced proceedings against railroads entering the state for overcharges in shipping rates. The claims for overcharges and damages amount to \$20,000,000.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION IN SESSION.
Washington, D. C., Nov. 13.—The Interstate Commerce Commission representatives of railroads all over the states are in conference here today. Questions regarding the construction of the Panama canal and the rate schedules are being discussed.

SUED FOR \$58.00 WEINMAN TO PAY \$8.73

DAMAGE CASE BOBS UP AGAIN—THE DAY IN DISTRICT COURT.

George K. Neher, proprietor of the White Elephant saloon, sued J. A. Weinman for \$58 on account this morning in the district court. Weinman set up certain counter claims, wherein he alleged that he had loaned Neher money at different times, the latest amounting to over \$50, and offered to pay Neher the balance. The jury retired to determine the matter and returned a verdict which requires Weinman to pay Neher \$8.73. Attorney Wilkinson appeared for Weinman and W. B. Childers represented Neher.

Judgment by Default.
Judge Abbott called the civil docket of jury cases set for trial with notice to appear at this term of court, and in a number of instances judgment was entered against the defendants for failure to appear. These cases are: F. A. Davis company, appellee, vs. D. B. Wilson; Charles Conroy, appellant, vs. Santos Ortiz, and Juan Garcia vs. Vincente Pino, et al.

Pietro Olguin was not present either in person or by attorney when his case against Antonio Padilla was called, and as there was no one to prosecute, Pietro was not sued.

Big Damage Case Bobs Up Again.
Judge Abbott called the jury in the district court from duty this afternoon and there was no afternoon session of court. His purpose was to have all the business cleared up in anticipation of the case of Di Palma and Ruppe vs. Barnett and Weinman, which will be called for trial tomorrow morning.

The case, which involves a suit for damages alleged to have been sustained through carelessness or negligence of the defendant, by the falling of a party building wall at the corner of Second street and Railroad avenue several years ago, has attracted wide attention.

The matter comes from the supreme court of New Mexico for a new trial. It was remanded back upon the hearing of the plaintiff's bill of exceptions. Judgment was rendered for the defendant in the district court of Bernalillo county, where the case was originally tried. It has been in the courts since 1902.

The plaintiffs sue for \$100,000 damages. Marron and McMillan appear as counsel for the plaintiffs, Di Palma and Ruppe, while Field and Childers represent Barnett and Weinman.

Frank Blake Not Guilty.
A jury in the district court brought in a verdict of not guilty in the case of the territory against Frank Blake, who was charged with drawing a deadly weapon on one Juan Maria, in Sandoval county.

GREATEST MONEY POWER EVER KNOWN FORMING IN WALL STREET

HARRIMAN'S ILLINOIS CENTRAL COUP ONLY ONE OF THE DETAILS IN THE BRINGING TOGETHER OF THE THREADS OF A GREAT NATIONAL ROAD TO BE WORTH BILLIONS OF DOLLARS AND TO BE CONTROLLED BY FOUR BIG MONEY FAMILIES.

New York, Nov. 12.—Under the beetling crags of Wall street a new and mammoth money power is gradually taking form. It is freely asserted today that the ultimate object of this staggering financial movement is to bring under the capitalistic control of a few powerful interests a national railroad which will far exceed in reality the ancient dream of a trans-continental system and will, in fact, spread over the length and breadth of the nation like a web.

There are now, according to the Wall street view, nine groups of railroad capitalists in the United States as follows: Vanderbilt, Pennsylvania, Harriman, Rockefeller, Hill, Morgan, Gould, Moore and Santa Fe. Three-quarters of all the railroads of the country are in these hands. They have a combined mileage of 144,000. They are worth more than \$7,000,000,000, or about 7 per cent. of the estimated total wealth of the nation.

Within a month, rumor, always the forerunner of fact in the street, has flooded the trading places of stock merchants, coupling four of the nine great groups in a "community of interest." It is now an established fact that the Vanderbilt, Pennsylvania, Rockefeller and Harriman interests are in harmony, and the street sees indications of a comprehensive plan for the financial consolidation of the wonderful web of railroads owned by them.

This would be the greatest of all trusts. As at present individually capitalized it would be more than seven times as great as the steel corporation.

Edward H. Harriman, the living, breathing embodiment of Machiavelli's prince, whom Wall street sees dodging in and out of the Equitable Life building now and then, is the captain of the Titanic enterprise.

Whether the plan is conceived from his tortuous brain, it is nevertheless the fact that he has been selected as the general of the Rockefeller, Vanderbilts and Astors, with whom he has always won great favor.

The bare outline of the enormous project as Wall street sees it opens to the imagination incalculable possibilities.

PRESIDENT IS SPEEDING AWAY TO OUR PANAMA POSSESSIONS

Only 600 Miles From Colon--Secretary Shaw Refuses Aid to Wall Street Gamblers.

GOVERNMENT IS AFTER THE GRAFTERS AND OTHER CRIMINALS

Washington, D. C., Nov. 13.—According to a wireless message, which reached the White House over night, the battleship Louisiana, with President Roosevelt and party on board, was 600 miles off Colon last night. Weather is reported fine. The message came from the naval station at Guantanamo to Key West and thence to the Washington wireless station.

SHAW DRAWS TIGHT THE NATIONAL PURSE STRINGS
New York, Nov. 13.—Secretary Shaw was at the treasury today. It is understood at Wall street that he is here to consider the money situation with a view to determine whether the government will aid in the purchase of the Panama canal. Money on call loans was 14 per cent today soon after the stock market opened.

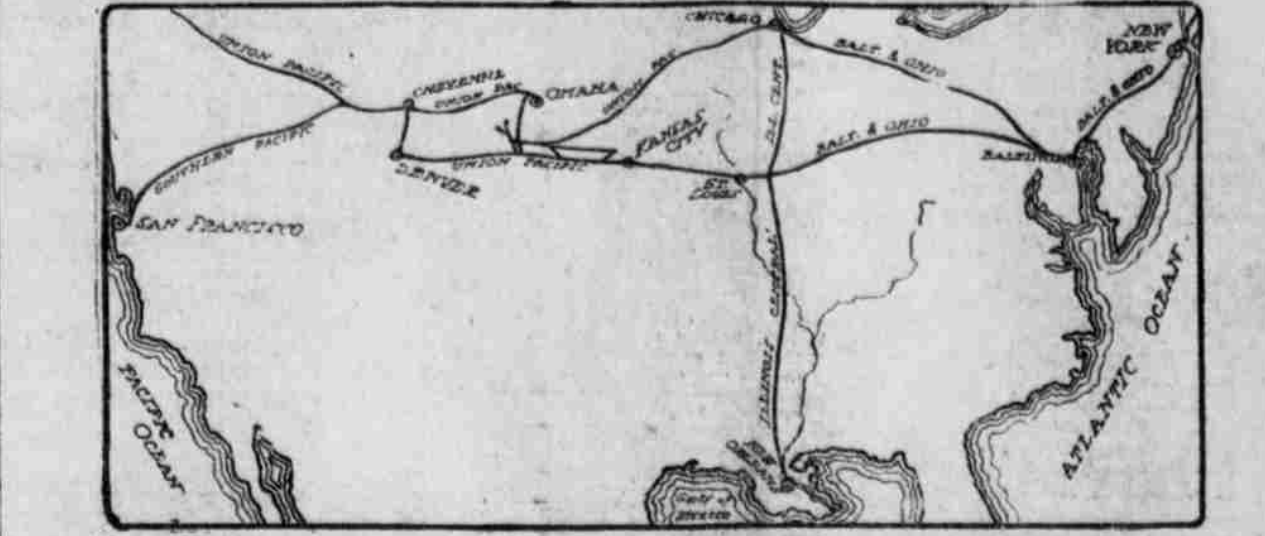
Secretary Shaw said he had discovered no material change in the financial situation since Saturday, when he had said that he would take no measure for the relief of the money market under the conditions then prevailing. His chief business in New York, he said, was to do with matters concerning the customs house.

Secretary Shaw in explaining his visit said: "You may say there is a

NATIVE WOMEN FIGHT OVER TUB BARGAINS

Wass, the proprietor of the South Second street five, ten and fifteen-cent store, had a bargain sale today on ten-cent galvanized wash tubs, and the rush and excitement was so great that several half-pulling fights took place in the yard in the rear of the store between native women. A citizen representative attempted to get into the store this afternoon, to get the particulars of the scrimmages, but the jam was so great he did not get any farther than the sill of the front door. Wass was waiting on half a dozen buyers at one time, and praises this paper for being such an extensive advertising medium.

Chicago Live Stock.
Chicago, Nov. 13.—Cattle receipts 11,000. Market slow to steady. Beef \$4.00@4.25; cows and heifers \$3.50@3.75; stockers and feeders \$2.40@2.50; Texans \$3.75@4.20; westerns \$3.90@4.10; calves \$6.00@7.50.



Now that E. H. Harriman has ousted Stuyvesant Fish from the presidency of the Illinois Central, and gained control of that property, he has the longest and most extensive system of railroads in the world. With the Baltimore & Ohio, Illinois Central, Northern Pacific and Union Pacific, he has a continuous line of roads extending from New York to San Francisco and from Chicago to New Orleans, as shown on the accompanying map.

When W. J. Bryan announced his plan for government ownership of trunk lines it was estimated that such a venture would cost Uncle Sam \$12,000,000,000.

Under the united capitalistic domination of four of the richest families of the world the railroads controlled by them would constitute a financial structure that would make Uncle Sam's twenty-seven million worth have today, but beyond cuts and bruises all on board escaped. The entire train plunged into an embankment and the track was torn up for 200 feet.

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CUNARD LINER CATCHES FIRE BUT IS PUT OUT

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VESSEL AT SEA CATCHES FIRE FROM ELECTRICITY
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RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION IN THE NORTHWEST.
Seattle, Wash., Nov. 13.—More than \$12,000,000 will be expended in railway construction in this district during the next year or two, while in other parts of Washington between the Idaho line and Puget sound nearly as much more will be invested. The Portland and Seattle will expend \$2,000,000 on its line from Lewiston to Pasco. The entrance of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul to Spokane will cost nearly \$1,000,000 for right of way and terminals, while the Northern Pacific is planning to build a new station to cost between \$200,000 and \$300,000 in addition to which \$1,000,000 will be spent in elevating or depressing the tracks inside the limits of Spokane. The Spokane International Railway from the Canadian boundary to Spokane will cost several millions of dollars before it is completed. Other lines are planned in this district and it is calculated that tens of thousands of men will have to be found to do the work as labor is very scarce here. Mr. Benjamin Campbell, vice president of the Great Northern railway states that \$9,000 men can find immediate employment on the lines with which he is connected.

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GRAND JURY TO FIND WHO GOT AWAY WITH \$6,000,000
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W. S. TILTON, SECRETARY OF EL PASO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, LOSES AN EYE.

The Albuquerque friends of W. S. Tilton, the efficient and courteous secretary of the El Paso chamber of commerce, will regret to learn that he has been the victim of a most painful and serious mishap.

While engaged in a game of golf at the Country club, of which he is also secretary, he was accidentally struck in the left eye by a golf stick in the hands of A. W. Honck, the assayer. An operation proving necessary, the eye was removed, and it is reported that Mr. Tilton will soon be about again. The physicians say that the right eye will not be affected.

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WOOL MARKET SEEMS MORE SATISFACTORY THAN RECENTLY

Not So Pronounced as Few Weeks But Future of Ease.

LOS ANGELES TAKES IN SIXTEEN MILE STRIP

Boston, Nov. 13.—Activity in the wool market is not so pronounced as in recent weeks, but a substantial business is still under way. The future of the market seems to be a greater ease with which wool may be sold at dealers' valuation.

LOS ANGELES TAKES IN SIXTEEN MILE TERRITORY
Los Angeles, Nov. 13.—By a close vote in its favor, the plan to annex a large territory between this city and San Pedro was approved in the special election by voters of the city and county districts. When the returns shall be passed upon by the state authorities a strip one half of a mile wide and sixteen long will become a part of Los Angeles, making San Pedro and Los Angeles adjoining cities. This is the first step in the plan to annex San Pedro harbor to Los Angeles, which are about twenty-two miles apart.

IRELAND TO HAVE A GREAT EXHIBITION.
Dublin, Nov. 13.—At a meeting of the city council today it was announced that the king had consented to open the international exhibition next May. Lord Leagh headed the subscription with \$50,000 and the guarantee fund now amounts to nearly \$2,000,000. It is intended to plan the exhibition grounds on the lines of the late Paris exhibition and a prominent feature in connection with it will be a great dome, the elevation of which will be equal to half that of St. Paul's Cathedral, London.

IMITATION GEMS
New York, Nov. 13.—A committee of experts is sitting here today to appraise the value of imitation gems which have of late been flooding the market. New kinds of emeralds and sapphires have made their appearance and the products, while artificial, are the same in composition and properties as the natural stones that are simulated. The bogus stones have been appraised on the 20 per cent basis but the importers claim this should be reduced to 10 per cent.

J. W. GATES TO BUILD THEATRE IN PARIS.

Paris, Nov. 13.—It was definitely announced here today that John W. Gates and other Americans are about to build a theatre on the old circus site in the Champs Elysee. It is stated that the new theatre will be run in opposition to the Folies Marigny, one of the most conspicuous theatres in the Champs Elysee where English, Americans and French flock all summer long.

ARRIVAL OF FAMOUS SINGERS IN AMERICA.

New York, Nov. 13.—Miss Gertrude Farrar arrived here today from London after making a farewell appearance before the Crown Prince and Princess at Potsdam in the opera "Manon." The princess presented Miss Farrar with signed portraits of herself and the prince added a beautiful umbrella with a lapis lazuli handle. Signor Caruso has also arrived.

INTERNATIONAL CANOE CONTESTS IN ENGLAND.
London, Nov. 13.—Five nations will be represented in the race for the international canoe trophy to be run under the auspices of the Royal Canoe Club of England in Langdon harbor, Belgium, France, Austria and Italy will send canoeists and a cable was received today to the effect that Chas. Burgess of Winchester, Mass., will compete.

INDICTMENTS FOR GETTING AND GIVING

They Are Found at Kansas City Against Railway Agents and Freight Brokers.

EMBEZZLED AND DEFAULTED IN ORDINARY BUSINESS

National Bank Wrecker Sentenced. Southern Railways Before Interstate Commerce Commission.

Kansas City, Nov. 13.—Indictments were returned her today by the federal grand jury, as follows:

Against Davis H. Kreskey, Kansas City, Kansas City freight broker, charged with conspiracy to violate the interstate commerce act in securing concessions on export shipments of flour, which were shipped to New York over the Missouri Pacific, the Chicago & Alton, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul and the Nickel Plate lines; against W. A. McGowan, agent at Kansas City for the Nickel Plate, for conspiring with Kreskey; against Henry S. Hartley, dealer in cottonseed meal, charged with accepting rebates over the Frisco, the Santa Fe and the Burlington routes. Service on all three will be had during the day.

OLD AND GOOD, BUT EMBEZZLED \$100,000.

Augusta, Ga., Nov. 13.—E. R. Derry, secretary and treasurer of the Real Estate and Building Association, has been indicted, charged with embezzling from the association a sum approximating \$100,000. Derry is sixty years old and for years has occupied a high position in business and church circles.

PLEADED GUILTY TO CONSPIRACY IN WRECKING BANK.

Cleveland, Nov. 13.—J. R. Zimmerman pleaded guilty to conspiring to wreck the National bank, in the federal court here today, and was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary and a fine of \$100,000. He was chairman of the board of directors of the Wooster, Ohio, National bank, which failed about two years ago.

SOUTHERN RAILWAYS ARE IN INTERSTATE TOILS.

Galveston, Tex., Nov. 13.—Charges have just been filed with the interstate commerce commission against several southern and western railroads who are charged with unjust and unfair rate impositions. The complaints are the Riverside Mills of Augusta Ga., the Howard Mills Company of Wichita, Kans., the Farmers Mechanics and Shippers Club of Pratt, Kans., and the Territory of Oklahoma, and they proceed against the railroads on the grounds complaining that they have been illegally treated by all the railroads in Oklahoma. Shipment of wheat to Galveston, Texas, is one of the chief matters of complaint.

Spelter, St. Louis, Nov. 13.—Spelter firm, \$9.35.

DIVORCE CONGRESS IN SESSION AT PHILADELPHIA

Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 13.—The Divorce Congress opened its proceedings today. Judge Staake, the secretary, announced that he had received communications from prominent men all over the country hoping that the draft of the bill which would be submitted to the meeting would be approved and adopted by congress. Delegates to the number of 700 from 41 states in the Union were in attendance in the Clergy Room of the Bellevue-Stratford hotel where proceedings commenced. The principal speakers were Governor Samuel W. Pennypacker, who has taken a very active interest in the movement; Bishop W. C. Doane of Albany; the Rev. W. H. Robert of New York; and W. Wilson, Francis Lynde Stetson, of the inter-church conference. The object of the congress as stated by Governor Pennypacker is to secure uniformity in the divorce laws of the states and in the practice of their courts in dealing with divorce cases. It is intended by the congress to recommend legislation to this end. It will agree upon its recommendations and these should immediately be adopted by the legislatures of the various states without any unnecessary delay, as well as by the judicial tribunals. Bishop Wilson pointed out the evils arising from the great diversity in our divorce laws and the necessity for immediately remedying them. He explained that as matters now stand it is possible to obtain divorces much too easily and frequently without any adequate notice. People who are recognized as being divorced in one state are held to be still married in another and, as a result, much injury is done to innocent parties. Grounds for severing the marriage tie in one state are held insufficient in another, while the decisions of the federal courts differ from those in some of the state tribunals upon this subject. The law association of Philadelphia has announced that all delegates can have access to their library. The draft of the uniformity divorce law has been prepared and as numerous sections were discussed today.

COUNT WITTE COMES BACK TO RUSSIA

Constitutional Democrats Are Ready to Take Him as Candidate For Parliament.

CONSPIRITS REFUSE TO FIGHT THE HOME PEOPLE

Castro Is Nearing His End and Revolution Is Threatening Disturbed Little Venezuela.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 13.—The arrival of Count Witte here yesterday scarcely created a ripple on the surface of Russian politics. Count Witte declined to meet all reporters and decided to make any statement regarding his reported resignation of a seat in the council of the empire, and as to his being a candidate for parliament. The constitutional democrats are eager to receive him into their ranks in case he decides to be a candidate.

CONSPIRITS WON'T FIGHT ANY INTERIOR ENEMIES

Moscow, Nov. 13.—During the swearing in of the conscripts here today, disorders broke out, over half refusing to take the usual oath of loyalty to the emperor, on account of the phrase pledging them to defend his majesty against all interior enemies. The troops were surrounded but bloodshed was finally averted.

VIGOROUS DESTRUCTION OF RUSSIAN PEASANTRY

Mitau, Courland, Prussia, Nov. 13.—The punitive expedition which has been operating in the Krutberg district, during the last few weeks, killed ninety peasants belonging to a revolutionary organization termed the Forest Brothers, who levied a tribute on the surrounding country. Several robbers have been tried by court-martial and executed.

GOVERNOR GENERAL IS SAVED BY COLD EXPLOSIVES

Irkutsk, Siberia, Nov. 13.—Owing to the chilling of the explosives, a bomb thrown at General Rennenkampf, governor of Trans-Baikal, yesterday, failed to injure him. Two side-scrapes were slightly grazed. The general has been on the terrorists' death list for some time on account of his severity in repressing the armed revolts. His would-be assassin was immediately captured. Within four hours after the throwing of the bomb he was placed on trial before a drum head court martial. The prisoner has not been identified.

CASTRO CAN'T RECOVER SAY HIS PHYSICIANS

Williamstad, Island of Curacao, Nov. 13.—The latest diagnoses here from Caracas confirm the previous reports that President Castro's illness is approaching the climax and that his physicians believe it impossible for him to recover.

REBEL LEADER FIGHTS GOVERNMENT TROOPS

Caracas, Venezuela, Nov. 13.—The rebel leader Monagas is again in arms and has twice defeated the government troops. Serious disturbances are feared in case of Castro's death.

COST OF PRODUCING FARM PRODUCTS.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 13.—Bulletin No. 48 of the bureau of statistics of the United States department of agriculture entitled "Cost of Producing Farm Products" by Willet M. Hayes and Edward C. Parker which is ready for issue will deal particularly with Minnesota field crops. It is designed to show, however, by example, how the cost of producing a crop in any part of the country may be accurately itemized and recorded. Investigations upon which the report is based were conducted by the bureau of agricultural experiment station in co-operation with the bureau of statistics. A large number of farmers have also given valuable assistance by taking note of money spent in implements, seeds, and other materials, values of farm products, and the various kinds of farm labor, etc. Each day the farmers were visited by persons engaged in the investigation and gave an accurate account of the operations for the day before and in this way the figures obtained represent the work of practical farmers who are actually producing crops for profit. The crops studied include, corn, flax, hay of several kinds, mangels, millet, oats, potatoes, rye and wheat. The farms in each county are grouped together and the figures given are the average of all farms in the group. The final figure or total, is the cost per acre of barley being \$9.13 for Rice county, \$8.51 for Lyon county, and \$4.41 for Norman county. For one very extensive farm in northwestern Minnesota the cost of \$6.97. After giving the statistics the bulletin will proceed to show how several problems in farm management can be solved and will contain interesting and instructive photographs showing how farm lands can be scientifically managed with good profit. The bulletin can be obtained from the superintendent of documents, Government Printing Office.

CENSUS BUREAU OFFICIAL IN TEXAS

Houston, Tex., Nov. 13.—J. A. Dill, special agent of the United States census bureau, is visiting this state gathering statistics for the department of commerce and labor which are to be used for comparative purposes and for general information. Only such cities as have a population of 30,000 or over will be included in the report.